



Weekly Information & Communication



## Weekly WIC Newsletter

June 5, 2017

### Conference Call Information

Thank you to those who were able to join us on the call. As promised, we have our [WebEx recording online](#), and all materials available on our [website](#). The funding formula documents were emailed to at least one person from each local agency, generally someone identified as leader in your organization.

If you would like to request these documents, have questions, or would like to provide feedback, please contact Kate ([kgirard@mt.gov](mailto:kgirard@mt.gov)) or call 444-4747.

### eWIC Information

eWIC is fast approaching! Local agency staff have had great questions regarding eWIC. Each agency has a [Super User\(s\)](#) who have been on monthly conference calls. These Super Users are meant to be contact people for the State Office and for locals. A lot of the state staff are traveling, conducting trainings, etc. so please reach out to the Super User in your area for additional information regarding eWIC. Thanks!

### eWIC Training Sign ups

eWIC is almost here! Time to sign up for the trainings. On the [registration form](#) please complete all the areas and submit it to Lacy. If you have questions regarding eWIC trainings, please contact [Lacy](#). These are due to Lacy by June 23<sup>rd</sup>.

### eWIC is coming webpage!

There is now an [eWIC page](#) on our Website. Some important documents located here are FAQ's for both the clinic and participants, the APL (approved product list), UPC submittal form, and the card holder information sheet.

We will continue to update the eWIC website as we get further in the statewide rollout process. Keep checking the website for updates.

## Smart Phone Questions

We have turned off the Smart Phone survey questions in SPIRIT, so you no longer need to ask those with each certification. We got a lot of good data to show a high % of participants have access to a Smartphone. This means that many can benefit from using the WIC Shopper App (depending on data package). Please **RESET LOCAL REFERENCE DATA** to update.

We appreciate your efforts in this endeavor, thank you!

## Cascade County CPA Position

There is currently a job opening in Cascade County for a FT CPA. Check [here](#) for details.

## Travel Reimbursement for Those Attending CLC Training

Information and the travel reimbursement form was sent on Friday, June 2<sup>nd</sup> to the list of individuals who are assigned to attend the June 5-9, 2017, training in Great Falls. If you have any questions, please contact [Chris](#) at 444-5285. The form or an invoice from your programs should be submitted to Stacy at [spurdom@mt.gov](mailto:spurdom@mt.gov).

## Public Health Leadership Summit

The Association of Public Health Officials (AMPHO) is going to hold a MT Public Health Leadership Summit during the Summer Institute in Billings on July 19<sup>th</sup> from 10-3. See the [attached flier](#) for details.

## Two Nutrition Education Webinars Are Available

Fueling Fertility: Interventions for Men and Women is available Tuesday, June 6<sup>th</sup> through DietitianCentral.com. Check out the [flyer](#) for registration information.

Eating Competence and Family Meals: Bridging Theory to Practice is provided on June 20th by the Ellyn Satter Institute through DietitianCentra.com. Check out the [flyer](#) for registration information.

Submit requests for WIC CEUs to Lacy at [lalittle@mt.gov](mailto:lalittle@mt.gov).

## Weekly Risk Code Highlight

[Risk Code 153](#). Large for Gestational Age is defined as an infant's birth weight  $\geq 9$  pounds ( $\geq 4000$  g); or presence of large for gestational age.

Presence of condition diagnosed, documented, or reported by a physician or someone working under a physician's orders, or as self-reported by applicant/participant/caregiver.

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